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Under the State House Dome

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(Special to the Courier)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 7—Gov. Leverett Saltonstall within a few days will have placed on his desk the legislation changing the name of Nashua Reservoir in Ashburnham, to that of Lake Wampanoag, in honor of the friendly Indian tribe of Massachusetts.

The State Senate yesterday approved the legislation, which has already been passed by the House. After routine action in preparing the matter for consideration by the Governor, the bill will be laid on his desk for his signature.

(Special to the Courier)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 7—The House of Representatives yesterday advanced the measure reorganizing the state office of the Unemployment Compensation Commission.

The Republican bill, defended against change by a roll call vote, is the first legislative measure to go through this year revamping a state bureau.

The Republican House refused to reduce from five to two the membership of the board of deputy commissioners; refused to reduce from six to three the membership on the advisory council; refused to increase from 150 to 300 the working days of the board of review and refused to reduce the proposed salary of the director by $1,000.

The amendment which would have accomplished these reductions—proposed by Rep. Roland W. Sawyer (D) of Ware—was favored by Rep. Fred A. Blake and opposed by Rep. Hugh C. Hunter as the House killed the amendment by vote of 83 to 135.

The state office, costs of which are paid by the federal government, has been re-established by the legislature under a program which has the approval of the Washington officials.

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Newly Organized Discussion Group Has First Meeting

The men's discussion group of the First Baptist church, which was recently organized with Dudley L. Higgins, Frederick F. Davis and Elliott May, as the committee, held the first meeting last Saturday evening in the church vestry. A supper was served at 6.30 by the ladies of the church, Mrs. Alfred G. Parker, Mrs. Ernest Richards, Miss Lucy Small, Miss Helen Parker, Miss Mildred Brown, Mrs. Elliot May, Mrs. Frederick F. Davis, Mrs. Rayford Parker, Mrs. Grace Brow.

At the business meeting following, officers were elected: President, Frederick F. Davis; vice president, Ernest J. Richards; secretary, James Conahan; treasurer, Harry Wilson. Rev. William H. Nobbs, pastor of the church, was present. Rev. Joseph Shepler, pastor of the Methodist church, was guest speaker, and gave a most helpful address on the importance of the Bible, as furnishing guidance for right living and the necessity of meeting the

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NOTICE

Town Warrant Articles

Notice is hereby given that all articles for the Town of Winchendon must be turned in to the Selectmen on or before

FRIDAY, FEB. 17th

at which time the warrant will be declared closed in order that the required time may be had for the posting of the warrant.

21-2t Selectmen of Winchendon

Firemen's Concert and Ball Adds Another Hit in Long Line of Successes

Musical Bargerons Give Pleasing Program At Concert and Furnish Music for Dancing Enjoyed by Big Crowd Until 2 O'clock; "Jitterbugs" Present.

"A real success" is again the verdict of the annual concert and ball which was held at the town hall Friday evening under the auspices and for the benefit of the Winchendon Firemen's Relief association. The hall was filled for the concert and the floor was crowded with dancers until 2 o'clock Saturday morning. Stage and hall were attractively decorated by John Ward, causing many favorable comments.

The concert started promptly at 8 o'clock with the Musical Bargerons as entertainers. The program included both popular and classical selections, trumpet solos and duets, vocal solos, marimba selections, and dancing specialties by the young ladies of the family. The Bargerons gave the crowd the best they had and that their efforts were sincerely appreciated was shown by the frequent and enthusiastic applause. Mr. Bargeron, who announced the various numbers, struck a responsive chord in the hearts of his listeners when he said: "To the Winchendon Fire Department and the townspeople of Winchendon, the Musical Bargerons extend every good wish for the year of 1939."

The Bargerons also furnished music for the dancing which followed the concert. The grand march was led by William A. Gordon, Chief of the Fire Department, and his sister, Mrs. Eliza Orr; followed by Deputy Chief J. Edward Brooks and Mrs. Brooks, Captain Henry D. Hildreth and Mrs. Hildreth, Lieut. Maurice Bateman and Mrs. Bateman, and a long line of couples intent on enjoying the evening to the fullest.

The dance order included both old fashioned and modern dances. There were plenty of "Jitterbugs" present to add to the merriment of the occasion. Apparently the Bargerons were popular with the dancers as the floor was still crowded when the couples gradually began to leave about 1.30 o'clock.

Deputy Chief J. Edward Brooks headed the committee of arrangements which included Francis Streeter, Earl Priest, Ezra Harris, Rhu Gleason and L. Kenneth Sawtelle, secretary. Chief William A. Gordon was floor director, with Deputy Chief Brooks and Capt. H. D. Hildreth, assistant floor directors. Aids were Lieut. Maurice Bateman, William A. W. Hildreth, Robert E. Hildreth and James Curtin.

Miss Eugenia M. Leach of this town entered the St. Vincent Hospital Training School for Nurses on Sunday for a three-year course.

Federal Expenditure on Streeter School in 1938 Amounted to $27,012.90

33,645 Hours of Relief Labor; Town Expended $25,906.10 for Materials; $814.40 Tools, Equipment, etc.; $4,800 Architects' and Engineers' Fees

Work on the new Amro W. Streeter School building has furnished a considerable amount of employment to citizens of Winchendon, according to the report of the School Building Committee for the year ending December 31, 1938.

The Federal Expenditure up to Dec. 31st, amounted to $27,012.90 for 33,645 hours of relief labor, and the town has expended $25,906.10 for materials, $814.40 for tools, rental of equipment and truck hire, and $4,800 for architects' and engineers' fees.

The Building Committee's complete report is as follows:

We are pleased to report that good progress has been made during the year on the construction of the new Amro W. Streeter School building, and the class room portion of this valuable and much needed addition to the school system of the town, will be completed within the year.

It will be recalled that this project, when first submitted, was rejected by the Works Progress Administration, due to a lack of sufficient skilled labor, but when an increase in the rolls of W. P. A. workers occurred, the committee re-submitted the project and it was approved and Federal funds made available.

On April 22, 1938 actual construction work was started on the building, and the town was extremely fortunate in having Mr. Burtis E. Wells assigned to the project by W. P. A. as General Superintendent of Construction.

Rapid progress was made on the work until the time of the September hurricane, after which work was entirley suspended for two weeks, due to all workers being transferred to emergency projects.

Following the hurricane many of the skilled workers, especially masons and carpenters, entered private employment, thus causing a serious delay on the school building project due to a lack of skilled labor.

This shortage of labor has now been eliminated and the building has been closed in, so that the work will be carried on throughout the winter months.

A project application for the foundation of the gymnasium section of the building has been approved by W. P. A. and work on the excavation will be started at an early date. A project application for the gymnasium superstructure has been filed with W. P. A. and is now awaiting approval and the allotment of Federal funds.

Work on this project has furnished a large amount of employment for the citizens of Winchendon, the Federal expenditure up to December 31st amounting to $27,012.90 for 33,645 hours of relief labor, and the town has expended $25,906.10 for materials, $814.40 for tools, rental of equipment and truck hire, and $4,800.00 for architects' and engineers' fees.

The class room portion of this building will provide for eight standard class rooms, Principal's office, nurse and clinic room, manual training room, household arts room, and a lunch room of ample size complete with serving kitchen.

The gymnasium unit when completed, will provide for a basketball court of regulation size, together with locker and shower rooms for both boys and girls, visiting team rooms, instructor's room, as well as ample storage room for equipment. The second floor of this section of the building will also contain a teachers' rest room and a room for the storage of school supplies.

Signed
JOSEPH W. REEVES, Chairman
A. D. HILDRETH
L. N. ABARE
B. B. HARRINGTON
EDNA W. PEABODY
MRS. ANNIE CURTIN
DR. ARTHUR WARD
FRANK CHENEY
Building Committee.

"LOTS OF FLOWERS, BIRDS AND SUNSHINE" —IN THE SOUTH LAND!

In sending check to renew his subscription to The Courier for another year, our fellow townsman, R. D. Tees, who with Mrs. Tees is spending the Winter at Mt. Dora, Fla., includes the following message:

"Lots of flowers in bloom here. Birds and sunshine! A few cool spells when you have cold and stormy weather at home. No snow. No ice here—except in refrigerators."

"March of Dimes" Collects Total Amount of $73.85

Final tabulation of the local "March of Dimes," conducted under the auspices of the Winchendon Merchants' Association, shows the following results:

Total amount collected, $73.85. Expense connected with collection, $7.00. Of the balance, $66.85, $33.85 will be donated to the local hospital for the purchase of some special equipment which Dr. Henry may designate, and $33 will be sent to the Warm Springs Foundation.

The collections were as follows: Schools, $39.52; miscellaneous, $1.10; Girl Scouts, Troop 2, $1.00; churches, $32.23.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Mellen Receive Cards and Gifts On Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Mellen of 38 Front street celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Friday, Feb. 3rd. They were married in Ashburnham 50 years ago and have always been residents of Winchendon.

They have one daughter, Mrs. James Boyd of Needham, and three sons, Maurice A. of Winchendon, Clifford M. of Cleveland, Ohio, and Kenneth L. of Worcester.

In the evening friends and relatives called. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening enjoyed by all. Mr. and Mrs. Mellen received many cards, flowers, gifts and money.

Among guests from out of town were their daughter, Mrs. James Boyd of Needham, [illegible] Kenneth L. Melle[illegible]hter of Worcester, Mr. and [illegible] Donald Stone and daughter a[illegible]rs. Frederick Cushing of [illegible]dwinville, Mrs. E. Ackerman and [illegible]orge Mellen of Barre, Mr. and [illegible]rs. Marcus Stone and two daugh[illegible]s of Waterville.

Principal Quimby Discusses Late World News Events At Woman's Club Meeting

To comment upon the regular meeting of the Winchendon Woman's club which was held Friday in Library hall, would be but to repeat what has been said regarding every meeting of the year up to the present, that it was a success, and the attendance was excellent, especially for a day when the traveling was not too good.

The president, Mrs. J. L. Peabody, was in the chair, and after the routine opening the report of secretary, Mrs. R. B. Greenwood, was read and accepted.

A letter was read from the WPA Americanization class, Mrs. Leon D. Towns, teacher, in appreciation of the invitation to be present at the meeting, which they found it impossible to attend.

Mrs. John Welch reported sending a collection of articles, asked for, to the Baldwinville hospital cottages, and stated that another lot was almost ready to be sent.

Mrs. Lloyd Gregory, local chairman of the Worcester County Extension Service, read a notice of a meeting to be held today in Library hall, Miss Foley, speaker, who will talk upon the care and feeding of young children. All invited.

The Literature department meeting was scheduled to meet Monday, Feb. 6, with Mrs. Celian Abbott, Rev. William H. Nobbs to review the book, Madame Curie. The Arts and Crafts department to meet with Mrs. James Hildreth, Jackson avenue, tomorrow, Feb. 10, Mrs. William Hildreth, co-chairman.

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Political Advertisement

ANNOUNCEMENT

At the request of a large group of interested citizens, I have consented to become a candidate for the office of Board of Public Works. A lifetime spent in dealing with problems of the nature arising in this type of work, enables me to offer to the town experience which should be of value, at a time when it is so difficult to find the necessary money with which to carry on the town's work.

If you desire to see this department operated on an efficient basis, ever watchful of the best interests of the tax payers, and an honest endeavor made to live within the budget set by the town, I will appreciate your support during the campaign and at the polls on Town Election Day, Monday, March 6.

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260 Front Street

16,823 Man-Hours Relief Labor On WPA School Projects in '38 At Cost to Town of $7,621.51

SUCCESSFUL YEAR AT CHURCH OF UNITY SHOWN BY REPORTS

"A Year of Great Success" might have been the theme for the annual meeting of the Church of the Unity held Monday evening in Memorial hall. A delicious chicken pie supper was cooked by Mrs. E. S. Colburn, and served by the men of the parish.

At the business meeting Dr. J. G. Henry was elected Moderator. The report of the clerk was read and approved, followed by the treasurer, Mrs. Anna Whitney. The nominating committee brought in the names of William Whitney and Kenneth White as members of the standing committee for a three-year period. Mrs. Anna Whitney was re-elected treasurer, and Mrs. Marion Free, clerk. The nominating committee for the year: Mrs. William Monroe, Mrs. William Hildreth and Miss Ethel Corey.

Rev. W. E. Billingham, minister, in his report stressed the spirit of friendliness and loyalty in the church. "As I look back over the year," he said, "I have a feeling that it has been a successful one, in spite of hurricane and flood. Our organizations are in splendid shape and all working together."

Mr. Billingham especially mentioned three gifts this year that are noteworthy. "One is the hearing device given by Mrs. Ida Greenwood in memory of Mr. Greenwood. The second, the windows given by Mrs. Zadoc White to replace three damaged by the hurricane, which we hope to have installed very soon. The third is the gift of money by the American Unitarian Association after the hurricane."

Mr. Billingham suggested that plans be made looking towards the celebration next year of the 75th anniversary of the church. He also asked if the group would look favorably on a change in the front of the church, moving the pulpit out three or four feet, thus enlarging the choir space in front of the organ. These last two matters were left with the Standing Committee.

It was voted to send a letter of thanks to the American Unitarian Association, letters of greeting to shut-ins of the church who could not be present, and to thank Mrs. Colburn for her help towards the success of the supper.

Fifty Tables in Play at Benefit Card Party for Wheeler and Poland Schools

Fifty tables were in play at the card party held in town hall on Monday evening for the benefit of the Wheeler and Poland schools playground apparatus. Camille L'-Huillier was chairman of this party and he and his committee have every reason to be pleased with the result of their labors. Although returns are not complete the proceeds will reach well over $90.

Adeline LaPlante was awarded the door prize, Mrs. Henry Wilcox the ladies' prize in auction bridge, Mrs. W. Raymond Brown first prize in contract and Mrs. Roderick Derby first prize in whist. Prizes for the men went to Martin McDonald in auction, Harry Damon in contract and Peter Goyette in whist.

Three articles were auctioned as follows: The cake donated by Mrs. Diamantopoulos went to Mrs. Rhea Trottier; the pie donated by Mrs. Colburn to Mrs. Honore Richer and a pound of fudge donated by Mrs. Ray Bartlett to Mrs. Rosanna Girouard.

Prizes were donated by the following merchants: Newton Brothers, Cobleigh Clothing Co., Central Pharmacy, Morlock Motor Sales, C. E. Weeks, J. H. Davenport & Son and Loretta's Fashion Shoppe.

The attractive basket containers at each table were made by pupils of the Wheeler and Poland schools under the direction of the art supervisor, Miss Collier.

Chairs for the occasion were generously furnished by Camille L'Huillier, Ernest P. Fletcher and Richard F. Snow.

Mrs. Malcolm Connor is the general chairman for the two schools on playground equipment and announces that plans for another entertainment will soon be forthcoming.

The committee wishes to thank all parents and friends who through their interest and support made possible this successful party.

Taxpayers Meet Feb. 15

The Taxpayers' Association will meet next Wednesday evening, Feb. 15, at 7.30 in Odd Fellows' hall. The speakers, all town officials, will be Elliot Tucker, chairman of the Board of Selectmen; Howard H. Elliott, town accountant, and Charles Mitchell, Supt. of Schools. Each one of these gentlemen will have a message of interest to you, Mr. and Mrs. Taxpayer!

Committee States Rehabilitation Work of School Buildings and Grounds Makes Good Progress

During the year of 1938 the School Committee made "very satisfactory progress" on its program for "the rehabilitation of the various school buildings and school house grounds," according to the report which will be included in the annual town report book now in process of being printed.

The several projects carried out under Works Progress Administration furnished a total of 16,823 man-hours of relief labor. The cost to the town of Winchendon for these projects was $7,621.51. The Federal Government paid a total cost of $12,859.79.

The annual report on W. P. A. projects for school building repairs in Winchendon for the year 1938, is as follows:

During the year 1938 very satisfactory progress has been made on our program for the rehabilitation of the various school buildings and school house grounds, the work being carried out under Works Progress Administration projects supervised by Harry L. Meacham, Architect & Engineer of Worcester, Mass., who continued to serve the School Department as Co-ordinator during the year.

A large proportion of the cost of this rehabilitation program has been obtained from the Federal government under various allotments and the School Committee takes this opportunity to again extend its appreciation and thanks to Mr. James W. Meehan, Project Director for Worcester County, and to the various other State and County W. P. A. officials who have assisted us in so many ways in carrying out our program.

During the year 19 new project applications were drawn up and submitted to W. P. A. for approval, and in every case the application has been approved and the Federal funds requested have been made available to carry on the work.

The sheet metal work for the ventilating ducts in connection with the new toilet rooms at E. Murdock School was made up and installed during the summer vacation, thus completing a much needed improvement at this school building. The cost to the town for materials and supervision was $33.50 and the Federal expenditure was $96.25 for 70 man-hours of labor. Both of these sums are in addition to the amounts previously spent on this project, as shown in our report for the year 1937.

Early in February the project to re-set the granite steps at E. Murdock School, including the construction of a suitable concrete foundation for the steps, as well as the re-pointing of all of the granite underpinning and the construction of concrete sills for all basement windows, to replace wooden sills which were badly rotted, was completed, having been started in December.

During the year the town expended $36.57 and the Federal government spent $111.71 for 115 hours of labor, making the total town cost $45.57 for materials and supervision and the total Federal expenditure $228.49 for this much needed project which furnished a total of 296 hours of work for relief labor.

A project for rough grading of the playground area at White School which was started in September 1937 was continued, with several interruptions, until it was completed in June.

During the year the town expended $35.66 for materials, tools and supervision on this project, while the Federal government spent $1,947.22 for 3,832 hours of relief labor.

A project application has been submitted to W. P. A. covering work required for the finish grading and top surfacing of this playground. This application has been approved and a Federal allotment of $457.25 made to cover labor cost, but the project cannot be started until the Sponsors' contribution of $84.58 for material, truck hire and supervision is available.

At the Woodcock School work on the installation of a new heating and ventilating system has been continued and was completed early in March. During the year the total net cost to the town on this project was $21.54, the balance being offset by credits received for materials returned, while the Federal cost was $566.89 paid for 548 hours of relief labor. These amounts are in addition to the sums expended on this project as shown in the report for the year 1937.

Early in January a project was submitted to W. P. A. for the removal of the flush tanks in the toilet rooms at Tucker School which were of wood construction, lined with sheet copper and which had rotted out so badly that they were in danger of falling and were a constant expense for upkeep.

On February 14th work was started on this project and the flush tanks removed and replaced by new flushometers, or valves which measure the flow of water used and which close by water pressure. The galvanized iron vent ducts for these toilets were also replaced with new ducts, the old ducts being so badly rusted out and full of holes, as to constitute a serious menace to the health of the pupils.

This project has been completed at a total expense to the town of $215.38 for materials and supervision, with a Federal expenditure of $116.75 for 111½ hours of relief labor.

On January 17th a project was started to re-locate all of the windows in the class rooms at Woodcock School, which up to that time had been lighted from three sides of the room, a very unsatisfactory method of lighting school rooms.

Under this project all of the class room windows which were located on the front and rear walls of the building were removed and the openings closed up. The windows were re-arranged in large groups in the side walls of the building, slate blackboards were moved to more usable locations, and additional slate blackboards as well as display boards installed, and all seating in the rooms was relocated so that light from the left side of the pupils is now obtained in all class rooms in this building.

It was necessary to replace with new, many of the window sash in this building, as the old sash were badly worn and many broken. It was also necessary to paint the interior of all of the class rooms, due to the necessary new plastering and wood trim.

Also under this project all of the wooden stair treads and landings of the stairs throughout the building have been removed and replaced with new Maple treads and landings. The old stair treads were so badly worn from many years of use as to constitute a serious menace to the safety of the pupils in this building.

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This is Valentine Week!

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Howard W. Manning, N.G., Names Monomonack Lodge Committees for the Year

Howard W. Manning, Noble Grand of Manomonack Lodge, No. 121, I. O. O. F., announces the following commitees appointed for the year:

Finance committee: John E. Anderson, P.G., Ira A. Lord, P.G., Ernest P. Fletcher, P.G.

Entertainment committee: Donald F. McMillan, V.G., Lynn G Young, P.G., Ezra L. Harris, Ira A. Lord, P.G., Richard A. James, Ernest P. Fletcher, P.G., Gordon H. W. White, P.G.

Regalia committee: Perley Aldrich, P.G., Richard A. James, Ira A. Lord, P.G.

Ways and Means committee: Leslie E. Stewart, P.G., Charles E Weeks, James B. Cunningham, P.G

Delinquent committee: Donald F McMillan, V.G., Gordon H. W. White, P.G., Leslie E. Stewart, P.G., William D. Davis, P.G., Lynn G. Young, P.G., James B. Cunningham, P.G., Warren R. Tappin, P.G.

Visiting committee: Donald F McMillan, V.G., Leslie E. Stewart, P.G., Lynn G. Young, P.G., Richard A. James, Cecil J. Bancroft, James B. Cunningham, P.G., Edward S. Stone, P.G.

Widows and Orphans committee: Benjamin M. Wright, P.G., Leslie E. Stewart, P.G., Gordon H. W. White, P.G.

By-Laws Committee: John E. Anderson, P.G., Leslie E. Stewart, P.G., William D. Davis, P.G., Warren R. Tappin, P.G.

Examining committee: Donald F. McMillan, V.G., Lynn G. Young, P.G., Charles E. Weeks.

I. O. O. F. Home Attendance committee: Leslie E. Stewart, P.G., Robert B. Greenwood, P.G., Lynn G. Young, P.G.

Torch Bearers: Edward S. Stone, P.G., Isaac M. Damon, Richard A. James, Gustave Johannesson.

Degree Masters: Initiatory, Howard W. Manning, N.G.; 1st degree, James B. Cunningham, P.G.; 2nd degree, Burton K. Sawtelle, P.G.; 3rd degree, George R. Davis, P.G.

KIWANIS CLUB

An educational program of talking motion pictures was presented by Carl A. Tornquist at the meeting of the Kiwanis club at Flynn's Hotel Monday noon. "Sound Waves and Their Sources" depicted how sound waves are measured and described some of their many sources. "Plant Life" showed the life history of a plant from the germination of the seed, through the budding and blossoming stages to the final formation of seeds.

Pres. "Ted" Reed announced that a Ladies' Night will be held next Monday evening in Fitchburg at Brooks' Restaurant, under the auspices of the Fitchburg Kiwanis club. Winchendon Kiwanians and their ladies are cordially invited to attend this affair, which will be in the nature of a Valentine party.

Prof. Harley Leland of Massachusetts Agricultural College at Amherst will address the club next Monday noon, talking especially on 4-H club work.

Free Concert Wednesday at Beals Memorial Library

The program for next Wednesday afternoon's free concert at Beals' Memorial Library is especially rich in 'beautiful' music that will appeal to all tastes:

Peer Gynt—Suite No. 1. From the incidental music to Ibsen's drama — Greig
Orchestra conducted by John Barbirolli
In the Steppes of Central Asia— Symphonic Poem — Borodin
London Symphony Orchestra; Albert Coates, conductor
Piano Concerto, Op. 23 (in B Flat Minor, No. 1) — Tchaikovski
Egon Petri, piano; Walter Goehr, conductor
La Cathedrale Engloutie — Debussy
La Terrasse des Audiences au Clair de Lune — Debussy
Piano solos: George Copeland
Daphnis et Chloe—Second Ballet Suite; orchestre des Concerts Straram; Philippe Gaubert, conductor
Ballade Op. 19 (For Piano and Orchestra) — Faure
Marguerite Long, piano, with Orchestra under Gaubert, conductor

Literature Dept. Meets

A most interesting meeting of the Literature Department of the Winchendon Woman's club was held at the home of Mrs. Cellan Abbott, School square, on Monday afternoon with Miss Elizabeth Parker, presiding. Rev. William Nobbs reviewed the book "Madame Curie," which was written by her daughter. Mrs. Marion Free gave a short resume of the best books of the past month which included "Disputed Passage," "Edward Greig," "Samuel Peps, the Saviour of the Navy," and "Autobiography" by Edna Ferber.

The March meeting will be held in Library hall and John Ashworth of the Murdock faculty will review the life of Mark Twain.

Ladies' Benevolent Society Meeting Largely Attended

There was a large attendance at the monthly meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent society of the North Congregational church on Thursday afternoon, Mrs. W. Raymond Brown, president, in charge. There were two speakers, Mr. Jewett of the New England Kurn Hattin Homes for boys and girls in Westminster, Vt., and Saxton's River, Vt., who told of the excellent work being done, and in which the North Congregational church has been interested for many years.

The other speaker was Charles A. Mitchell, superintendent of schools, who gave an extremely interesting talk upon India, holding the close attention of his audience, who have generally expressed the wish that he had spoken even more at length. Mr. Mitchell was for some time principal of the school for the children of American missionaries at Kodaikanal, in the Madeira district, southern India. The business meeting was held after the speaking. The all-day sewing meeting was set for today, with Miss Amy Kemp. Next month a silver tea will be given at the home of Mrs. C. A. Tornquist. In April another silver tea will be given by Miss Helen J. Whitney. On May 11, Mrs. H. Burr Eldredge, High street will open her home for another silver tea when the sunshine bags will be opened. The question of a committee on resolutions came up, and the president appointed Mrs. E. B. Burnham, that committee with the power to act, two others. It was decided to observe the World Day of Prayer on Feb. 24. The committee is the president, Mrs. W. Raymond Brown, Miss Helen J. Whitney, Mrs. Ray Burbank, with the pastor, Rev. Joseph W. Reeves. A large number were out for the supper at 6.30, Mrs. H. Burr Eldredge, chairman. The evening entertainment included a musical program under the direction of Supervisor of Music Walter Angus.

16 Candidates Invested At Boy Scout Cememory

At the investiture of the 16 candidates for the Boys Scouts of America organization, held in Memorial hall last Wednesday evening; Ray P. Bartlett, an executive of Monadnock Council, gave a short talk on scouting and its true values to the boys of our country after which he introduced Robert Perry, executive secretary of the council. Mr. Perry gave a more extensive talk and delivered the charges and commission to the Troop committee of Troop 35 who are Messrs. Ray P. Bartlett, chairman; William Hildreth, William Flint, Jr., Max Aronoff and Rev. William Billingham.

This troop is being sponsored by the Unitarian church and in behalf of the church Arthur Washburn, clerk, accepted the charter from Mr. Perry and the charge to the sponsoring committee. Mr. Perry also gave the charge and commissions to the Scoutmaster, Milford Holman and to the Assistant Scoutmaster, William Hildreth. After the ceremony, Mr. Dewey of Gardner an enthusiastic member of the council, showed movies of the canoe trip taken last summer by several of the older Scouts who were camping at the Scout Camp, Collier.

Police Officer Hildreth Taking Course of Study at Massachusetts Police School

Chief Regan announces that officer Robert Hildreth is attending an eight weeks' course of study at the Massachusetts Police Academy at Commonwealth Pier in Boston. Commissioner of Public Safety, Eugene McSweeney is the general head of this school and among the teachers are Captain John Stokes of the State Police Detective Bureau and Professor Cabot of Harvard College. Subjects being studied include chemical and biological traces arson, statutory offenses, photography and finger printing, lectures on the origin of the courts, procedures in law and criminal investigation. This school originally was organized for state police only but so many expressed a desire to attend that others have been allowed and there are state troopers from New York, New Hampshire and Maine as well as Massachusetts. The Boston school is considered higher in rank than the Hoover School in Washington or the Troy, N. Y. school, in fact is considered to be the highest in the country at this time.

Royalston

Mrs. Mary Martin entertained on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Daley Whipple and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Caferella of Millers Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Martin and daughter of Warwick, Gordon Martin of Norwich, Conn., and William Martin of Athol.

Miss Eleanor Huff and Miss Maxine Elliott spent the week-end in Hudson with Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Huff.

Rev. Leonard Fowler arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Smith Monday afternoon. Tuesday morning Mr. and Mrs. Smith and Rev. Fowler left in the Smith's car for Rev. Fowler's home in Greenville, Me., for several days' visit. Mrs. Lena Smith of Athol is caring for the Smith home during their absence.

Mrs. Clifford Daniels and son of Athol were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood.

Edward Fuller, Jr., of Athol spent the week-end with his relatives, Mrs. Sadie Graves and family.

Mrs. Ernest Partridge and son David of Templeton are visiting Mrs. Agnes Stearns.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilcox spent Sunday in Brattleboro, Vt., with Mr. and Mrs. Derwin Smith. Mrs. Smith was formerly Margaret Holman and lived here many years. Monday morning Mrs. Smith was taken to the Brattleboro hospital in a very serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Frye and Mr. and Mrs. David Allen of Athol attended the Sportsmen's Show in Boston Sunday.

Roland Stone returned Tuesday from Spencer where he had been several days with Mr. and Mrs. Ryland Doten.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Earley and daughter Maxine of Peterboro, N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon J. Stockwell and son Kenneth of Athol were Sunday visitors at the Stockwell farm.

The Ladies' Benevolent Society met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Ralph Jewett.

The White Elephant sale held at the Grange during the lecturer's hour was a success and caused much merriment and netted a good sum for the lecturer's fund. At the next meeting Feb. 15 there will be a valentine party in charge of Miss Eleanor Huff and Miss Maxine Elliott.

The Grange will serve a turkey supper Wednesday night, Feb. 8, for the Fish and Game club of Royalston. Mrs. Elbridge Smith and helpers are in charge.

New Boston

There was a very large turnout at the New Boston church Saturday afternoon. J. D. Simth, Ph.D., President of the Southern New England Conference, assisted by the pastor, C. L. Taylor of South Lancaster, conducted the Service of Ordination and Earl Curtis Strong was made Deacon of the Winchendon church. A solo, "Never Alone" was given by Mrs. Ealon Strong; Earl Strong gave a 'cello solo, "Some Sweet Day By and By." President Smith occupied the pulpit and gave a very able and instructive sermon from Matt. 26: 41, "Watch and Pray that ye enter not into temptation; the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak." Elder Smith is a very forceful speaker and holds his audience in rapt attention.

The members of the New Boston church and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Day to celebrate the 84th birthday of Deacon George E. Day on Thursday evening, Feb. 2. Musical selections by the orchestra and singing with a shower of birthday cards from near and far. Deacon Day gave a talk on the days that have passed and he took a very active part. It is very hard to believe that he has reached the 84th milestone of life's journey. There were a large number present from Templeton and Winchendon and all enjoyed a good time. We wish him many happy returns of his birthday. May the bright sunshine of God's love follow him and his faithful companion as they travel down the shady side of life.

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Obituaries

WILLIAM HENRY BARNES

William H. Barnes of 181 Glenallan street passed away Sunday noon at one o'clock from a heart attack. He came up town Saturday evening as usual to do his marketing, and not feeling well went to the office of his physician, then returned home. At 11 p. m., however, and in the 12 hours preceding his decease the doctor was called three times.

Mr. Barnes was born in Fall River 60 years ago the 28th of last December, son of Henry and Mary (Cockshutt) Barnes. He has been engaged in the textile industry for 45 years. Two years ago he was employed by White Bros. at Winchendon Springs, then went to the East Jaffrey, N. H., mills of the company and was transferred here last June. He was superintendent of the spinning department.

Mr. Barnes is survived by his wife, Henrietta Austin Barnes, two sons, Glenn A. in Philadelphia, William A., student at the University of New Hampshire in Durham; also two brothers, John T. of Greenville, N. H., Richard E. of Pawtucket, R. I., and two sisters, Mrs. Fred McIntire and Mrs. John Warmsley of Lonsdale, R. I.

Funeral services were held from the home yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. Percival W. Wood of Emmanuel church officiating.

Burial was in Plainville under the direction of the Snow funeral service, where committal services were held at Plainville cemetery at 2.30 o'clock.

The bearers were Richard Barnes of Pawtucket, R. I., Richard Simmons, Leo Lefort, Richard Potter, Napoleon Caouette, Harley Murray of Winchendon Springs.

ALVIN I. RAY

Alvin I. Ray of Baldwinville died at Millers River hospital Saturday morning after a long illness.

He was born in Winchendon 77 years ago, son of Calvin and Myra (Stoddard) Ray. For the greater part of his life he had lived in Baldwinville, and had been employed as chairmaker in local factories.

He leaves two half sisters, Mrs. Harry Hildreth of Baldwinville, Mrs. Ada B. Lilly of Lunenburg, three nieces and a nephew.

Funeral services were held from the Smith funeral home in Gardner Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial was in Greenlawn cemetery.

THELMA IDA YOUNG

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Young, Jr., passed away Thursday, Feb. 2. She was born August 3 of last year and is survived by three brothers, Treffle, John and Henry and two sisters, Justine and Evelyn. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon from the Snow funeral home with Rev. William H. Nobbs, pastor of the First Baptist church, in charge.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all who assisted us in our recent bereavement. To Dr. Henry, Rev. Mr. Nobbs, the nurses and to Mr. and Mrs. Snow we extend deep appreciation.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Young, Jr.
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MRS. FRED E. LEWIS

Mrs. Ida F. (Bridges) Lewis, widow of Frederick E. Lewis, died Friday morning in Heywood hospital, Gardner, after a brief illness. She was born in Chester, Vt., Aug. 22, 1860, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry F. Bridges.

For several years Mr. and Mrs. Lewis were residents of Winchendon, Mr. Lewis being one of the superintendents at the toy factory of Morton E. Converse & Son. Their dearly beloved daughter, Fauney Louise Lewis, was a graduate of Murdock school with the class of 1905. She passed away several years ago. Forty years ago the family moved to Gardner, where Mr. Lewis died eight years ago. For the past four and one-half years Mrs. Lewis had resided at the Gardner Home for Elderly Ladies.

Mrs. Lewis was a member of the First Unitarian church, the Women's league of the church, the Gardner Woman's club, and was a past president of Inasmuch circle, King's Daughters and Sons.

She is survived by one brother, Andrew Bridges of Chester, Vt., three nephews, Fred P. Whitcomb of Gardner, Faye C. Warren of Northampton, Frank Warren of Oregon, and two nieces, Mrs. Guy Williams and Miss Persis Bridges, both of Springfield, Vt.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Smith funeral home at Gardner; burial was in Crystal Lake cemetery.

ALBERT PLANTE

Albert Plante of 163 Spruce street died Thursday afternoon in the West Boylston Sanitarium where he had been a patient three months.

He was born in Canada 38 years ago, son of Telesphore and Laura (Lamour) Plante, the family coming to this town when he was an infant, and he has always resided here. He had been employed by W. P. Hildreth & Son as brick mason.

Besides his parents he is survived by his wife (Eva Mahoney) and five children; also three brothers, Joseph, George and Telesphore, and a sister, Mrs. Edward Gauthier, all of this town.

Funeral services under the direction of John B. Fitzgerald were held from St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock Monday morning, requiem high mass being celebrated by Rev. Francis E. Hilbert. The beares were William Raymond, Henry Bourgault, Edward Homon, George Rougiere, Richard Duvarney and Frank Brow.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all the friends and relatives for their many expressions of sympathy during our recent bereavement. Especially do we thank Dr. A. G. Pelletier, Mrs. Edmund Lafortune, R. N., Mrs. Leo Martin, R. N., and Camille L'Hullier, undertaker. To everyone who assisted in any way, we are deeply grateful.

Mrs. Omer Dery
Maurice Dery and family
21-1* Fred Dery and family

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to all who so generously extended to us their sympathy in our recent bereavement, by floral tributes, cards, letters and many neighborly acts.

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The regular meeting of the Putnam Alliance was held in Memorial Hall last Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Edward Stedman presiding. After the devotional service the business was transacted. Mrs. Ida Greenwood, Mrs. Anna Whitney and Mrs. Raymond Tryon have been appointed as the committee for the Memorial Window, with Mrs. Tryon serving as chairman. Mrs. Stedman gave an interesting account of the New England Association meeting held in Arlington recently, both she and Mrs. Lynn Young being in attendance. An Easter sale was considered and details will be announced soon. Rev. William Billingham was the speaker of the afternoon. He presented a number of beautifully hand painted slides of our familiar New England flowers which made everyone feel that surely spring was "right here". the poems he read in connection with the pictures added much to the program which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

A meeting of the Board of Directors of the United Co-Operative Society was held last evening at 8.30 in the Co-Operative rooms.

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STRAWBERRIES	2 baskets 25c	BROCCOLI	2 lbs. 15c

FIRST NATIONAL STORES

16,823 Man-hours Relief Labor on W.P.A. School Projects in 1938; Cost to Town Set at $7,621.51.

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To carry on this project to completion the town has expended $1,069.50 for materials and supervision, and the Federal expense was $2,344.36 for 2,923 hours of relief labor which was required for the project.

Although this project, which required the removal of all of the windows in the class rooms, was carried on through the coldest months of the winter, no interruption of school classes was involved and no class time was lost, as the operation of the project was so planned that a large part of the work was done at night when the school was closed, and the rooms were made ready for school use again in the morning.

On March 21st a project was started at Woodcock School to paint the walls, ceilings and woodwork in all of the corridors, stair halls, coat rooms and the Nurse and Clinic Room. All plaster surfaces have been thoroughly repaired and painted two coats of a light Buff flat lead and oil paint, while the woodwork has been cleaned off and given two coats of gloss enamel paint of a harmonizing shade.

This project has been completed at a total cost to the town of $190.81 for material and supervision, and the Federal government has expended $744.76 for 1,019 hours of relief labor furnished by the project.

With the completion of this project the entire interior of this school, including the basement, has been repainted and put into first class condition under W. P. A. projects and at very small expense to the town.

At Marvin School a new electric service entrance of larger capacity has been installed, to comply with the regulations of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, and the most modern safety type of lighting fixtures and glass-ware have been installed throughout the building.

Although this building was wired for electric lighting at the time of its construction, but very few of the outlets have ever been used. With the completion of this project, this building now has artificial lighting equal to that in any of the school buildings in town. To carry this project to completion the town has expended $231.00 for materials and supervision and the Federal cost was $149.70 for 174½ hours of labor.

The installation of a new heating and ventilating system in Tucker School which was under way during 1937 has been completed, the balance of the sheet metal ducts having been fabricated and installed in place. During the year a total of $152.84 was expended on this project by the town, and the Federal expenditure was $718.69 for 532½ hours of relief labor.

The existing sewer lines which connected Wheeler School and Poland School with the so called Murdock sewer, and which have caused much trouble and expense during recent years, due to clogging, have been replaced during the year.

A new 6 inch Akron pipe sewer has been installed from each of these buildings and leading into the new manhole recently constructed at the new Amro W. Streeter School. From this manhole a new 8 inch sewer leads to the new town sewer now being laid in Park Street, thus connecting these three school buildings to a sewer which should be ample for many years.

Under this project, which has now been completed, the town expended $147.04 for materials and supervision, and the Federal cost was $371.14 expended for 687½ hours of relief labor.

In an effort to reduce the expense of electric lighting in the Wheeler and Poland buildings, new underground cables have been laid to these buildings to connect them with the electric service now being installed in the new Amro W. Streeter School.

Electric power is purchased on a sliding scale of prices, the first few kilowatts recorded on each meter being charged for at a much higher rate than is charged for the balance of the power used during the month. The more power that is recorded on a single meter, the lower the rate becomes. There is also a minimum rental charge made for each meter during the summer months, whether power is used or not.

As each of the schools had its own separate meter, and the new school building would also require still another meter, this arrangement would result in an excessive cost to the town.

It was therefore decided to eliminate the meters in the Wheeler and Poland buildings and to connect these schools to the meter to be installed in the boiler room at the new school. Thus but one meter will serve the three schools, eliminating the high charges on the two meters abolished, and with the combined load placed on one meter a substantial saving should result.

While the underground cables have been laid the connections in the buildings have not as yet been made, so that this project is as yet uncompleted. Up to December 31st the town has expended $144.60 for materials and supervision on this project and the Federal expenditure has been $88.36 for relief labor.

At the White School the front and rear entrance porches and steps were found to be in an extremely poor condition due to the decay of wood timbers and posts, and the brick chimneys above the roof were leaning badly, due to the disintergration of the mortar over a period of years.

Therefore a project was submitted and approved by W. P. A., to reconstruct portions of the porches and steps including the laying of new flooring. Also the wood posts supporting the porches were removed and replaced with steel posts. The top portions of the brick chimneys were taken down and properly rebuilt.

To carry on this project which is now nearing completion, the town has expended the sum of $131.22 and the Federal expenditure has been $458.76 for 514 hours of relief labor.

The major project which has been undertaken during the year has been the removal of the entire heating and ventilating systems at the Wheeler School.

This system was in extremely poor condition due to many years of service, and was the source of constant expense to the town, as well as a serious menace to the health of the pupils as many times smoke, coal gas, as well as soft coal dust, found their way into the class rooms and corridors.

The room in which the old furnaces were located, and which is directly under the main stairways, was without fire-proofing of any kind, thus creating a very serious fire hazard.

This room, as well as the fuel room, have now been fire-proofed, steel window sash with wire glass as well as metal covered fire doors having been installed, and the ceilings have been cement plastered on metal lath.

A new steam boiler of ample size has replaced the two old warm air furnaces and a small steam boiler, and a two pipe vapor system of steam has been installed throughout the building.

In each of the class rooms ventilating units of the most modern type have been provided, for the supply of fresh air in these rooms. The vitiated air is removed through a gravity system of sheet iron vent ducts, and the building is now as well heated and ventilated as any school building in town.

The walls as well as the ceilings throughout the basement have been thoroughly washed and have been painted white, which has greatly improved the lighting in this portion of the building.

This project, which will be completed within the next few days, has been carried out at a total cost to the town of $5,211.85 for materials and supervision, and the Federal expenditure has been $5,145.20 for a total of 6,124 hours of relief labor.

It should be realized that on a project of this type, the cost to the town is larger in proportion to the total cost of the project, than is the case on many W. P. A. projects of other types, due to the expensive kinds of materials and equipment which are required for heating and ventilating installations.

Even with this handicap, this work, which was most urgently needed, has been carried out at approximately 50 per cent of the amount it would have cost the voters of Winchendon, if Federal funds could not have been secured.

A vast amount of work on the rehabilitation of our school buildings has been accomplished during the past three years, and the School Committee has taken full advantage of the Federal aid available.

At the start of our rehabilitation program the outlook was somewhat discouraging, with school buildings having antiquated plumbing, heating and lighting facilities, as well as many other serious defects, but with the assistance of the Works Progress Administration we have been able to accomplish much towards making them over into thoroughly modernized plants, with excellent lighting, adequate heat and fine toilets, which will serve the town for many years to come with a minimum cost of maintenance.

SUMMARY OF PROJECTS OPERATED DURING YEAR 1938

Project and School	Man-Hours of Relief Labor	Cost to Town	Federal Cost
New toilets E. Murdock	70	$ 33.50	$ 96.25
Reset steps, etc., E. Murdock	115	36.57	111.71
Grading playground White	3832	35.66	1947.22
Heating and ventilating Woodcock	545	21.54	566.89
New flush valves Tucker	111½	215.38	116.75
Relocate windows Woodcock	2923	1069.50	2344.36
Interior painting Woodcock	1019	190.81	744.76
Electric lighting Marvin	174½	231.00	149.70
Heating and ventilating Tucker	532½	152.84	718.69
New sewers Wheeler and Poland	687½	147.04	371.14
Electric cables Wheeler & Poland	172	144.60	88.36
Chimneys and porches White	514	131.22	458.76
Heating and ventilating Wheeler	6124	5211.85	5145.20
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Avard L. Brown Qualified By Years' Experience to be On Board of Public Works

On page one of this issue of THE COURIER will be found an announcement of the candidacy of Avard L. Brown for member of the Board of Public Works. A group of public-spirited citizens have been laboring for some time with Mr. Brown to obtain his consent to become a candidate, feeling that he is as well qualified for the office as any man in town could possibly be, having spent years in the very type of work handled by the Public Works Department.

Since the establishment of the Public Works Department in Winchendon a few years ago, there has been a strong feeling that the purpose for which the department was organized has failed of accomplishment. Sponsored by the Winchendon Tax Payers' Association and "sold" to the voters on an economy basis, the results have been disappointing. In theory, the consolidation of departments should work out to the economic advantage of the town, but such has not proved to be the case.

With the possibility of a man having the practical experience of Mr. Brown, willing to serve on the Board, it appears that there might be a possibility of the objective, for which the Tax Payers' Association labored, being attained. As far as THE COURIER has been able to learn, Mr. Brown has the field to himself, and it is to be hoped that he will receive undivided support in his candidacy for the office of member of Board of Public Works.

NEWS FROM "UNDER THE STATE HOUSE DOME"

(Continued from Page 1)

(Special to the Courier)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 2—A special recess commission studying conservation has recommended reorganization of the state conservation with an indirect plea to retain Commissioner Ernest J. Dean of Chilmark but with provision in the revamping plans to oust James E. Agnew as director of the division of fisheries and game.

The report which states reorganization of the department to become the Department of Conservation and Recreation at an additional cost of $20,518 a year, was signed by Representatives Fred A. Blake of Gardner, Harland Burke of Ipswich and George Ward Stetson of Middleboro.

The proposal for reorganization was filed with the clerk of the House of Representatives late last night.

Among its recommendations for conservation purposes the report proposes legislation to restrict "indiscriminate slashing of valuable timber, even though it's located on private property."

Containing an indirect request for retention of Commissioner Dean as head of the department the report states that Gov. Saltonstall would be given an opportunity to reappoint Dean or name a new commissioner.

(Special to The Courier)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 2—Painting a dark and dismal picture of the status of municipal finance for the current year, Massachusetts Municipal officials yesterday asked legislation which would permit the town of Winchendon to borrow for welfare purposes 30 per cent of the amount spent in 1938—which would be about double the $25,800 borrowed last year under legislation restricting the borrowing to 15 per cent.

It was explained that the refusal of WPA officals to retain alien residents on their rolls, increased the relief load in most cities—and that 60 per cent of the welfare recipients in Chelsea are aliens; Beverly has 25 per cent, Revere 50 percent and Marlboro 10 per cent.

Fear was seen of additional increases in relief costs if the WPA cuts 25 per cent of its roster in April—sending the present WPA workers back to direct relief lists.

Winchendon

The dead line for certifying nomination papers with the board of registrars is Feb. 16.

There will be a special meeting of the local Townsend club tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Ada Smith, who has been the guest of her aunt, Esther B. Geddes of 27 School street, returned to her home in Winter Hill Monday.

Marion E. Morlarty, R. N., formerly of Ash street, and now living in Gardner, was chairman of the President's Ball committee, held Jan. 30 in Gardner.

Miss Maurie Callahan, teacher of French at Murdock High school, is ill at her home in Abington, this week. Mrs. Guy B. Staples of Academy street, is substituting for Miss Callahan.

Rev. W. E. Billingham is to give the charge to the Congregation at the Elliot Unitarian church, South Natick, at the Installation Service for the new minister, Rev. M. M. Nielson, next Monday evening.

Mrs. Alphonzo White had the misfortune to fall nearly the entire flight of front stairs in her home last Thursday morning. She has several cracked ribs and painful bruises.

The public is cordially invited to the military whist party at Odd Fellows' hall tomorrow evening, the 10th, being given by Home Rebekah Lodge after their business meeting. Play will begin at 8 o'clock.

Members of the Emmanuel Mission Guild met at the home of Mrs. Guy R. Prebble, Front street, on Tuesday afternoon, for regular business transaction and a social time. Tea was served by the hostess.

The Merry Nine Bridge club held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Annie Bosworth, Beaman court on Monday evening. After the game dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

The Board of Selectmen have appointed William Bosworth, Sealer of Weights and Measures; Arthur Richards, Superintendent of the Gypsy Moth Department and Arlon D. Bailey, chairman of the Forestry committee. Mr. Bosworth's and Mr. Richards' terms expire Jan. 1, 1940 and Mr. Bailey's term expires Jan. 1, 1942.

Faith Chapter No. 129, O. E. S. held its regular meeting last evening in Masonic lodge rooms in the form of a valentine party. After the business was transacted, games were enjoyed and refreshments were served by Miss Ethel Corey, Miss Jeannette Niles, and Mrs. Isabel Hill. Mrs. Florence Deering, P. M., and William Deering, P. P., had charge of the entertainment.

A Food Sale will be held at the Wood Furniture Co. store on Saturday morning at 10 to continue until the food is all sold out. This is for the benefits of the Marvin school playground equipment. The committee includes Mrs. John H. Ready, chairman, Mrs. Nathan LeClair, Mrs. Earle Priest, Mrs. Fred Clapp, Mrs. Leslie Arnold, Miss Frances Barry, Mrs. James Curtin and Mrs. T. B. McAneany.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to publicly thank all my friends who so kindly remembered me with letters, cards and flowers while I was a patient at the Deaconess hospital in Boston. Especially do I thank the Home Rebekah Lodge for the bouquet of flowers and the Monomonack Lodge of Odd Fellows for their many greeting cards.

21-1t Benjamin E. Brown

Putnam Alliance Sponsoring Spring Fashion Show, Feb. 23

The Putnam Alliance of the Church of the Unity is sponsoring a Spring Fashion Show to be presented by the Toy Town Tailleurs, in Memorial hall on the afternoon of Thursday, Feb. 23, at three o'clock. The display to be presented is valued at $5,000. Mrs. Howard H. Elliott and Mrs. Edward Stedman are co-chairmen for the show. A tea will be served with Mrs. Henry Heidel in charge and Mrs. Kenneth B. White and Mrs. Guy Staples will serve as hostesses at the tea table. Mrs. Marion P. Free and Miss Mary Clark are in charge of invitations which will be sent to neighboring Alliances and Woman's clubs. A small admission will be charged. The ladies and girls who are to serve as models will all be from Winchendon.

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Arnold Simensen of the Lawton Construction Co., New London, Ct., has returned to his home, 19 Cedar terrace, for a few weeks.

Isadore A. Bucko of Antrim, N. H., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bucko of 3 Maynard street.

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At the regular meeting of the Veterans of Foreign Wars last evening plans were started for the "Poppy Drive" to be held in May with Adjutant Charles Morlock in charge.

The Sons of Veterans of Foreign Wars are going to have another Penny sale on Saturday evening, the 18th, at their quarters, 82 Maple street. There will be no admission charge and everyone is cordially invited to come and have as good a time as they did at the recent penny sale.

A good sized audience was present at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon when Charles A. Mitchell spoke before the Intermediate Epworth League on India, giving one of his interesting talks to the pleasure of his listeners.

The Sons of American Legion will meet next Wednesday evening, Feb. 15, at 7.30 in the Legion rooms at Odd Fellows' block. Extracts on the lives of Lincoln and Washington will be given. The meeting will be in charge of Second Lieutenant Royce Scarrell.

Judge Harry C. Hayes of this town was one of the speakers at the reception and testimonial banquet tendered Dr. Francis B. McMurray of Fitchburg at Hotel Raymond in that city on the evening of Feb. 1. Dr. McMurray, who was recently married, was presented with a purse.

Last Sunday morning in recognition of Young People's Sunday throughout our country, several members of the Young People's Religious Union of the Church of the Unity conducted the morning worship in a most creditable manner. George Billingham, Priscilla Sargent, Warren Phillips, Gloria Gendron and Joan McCarthy were the members who participated. The sermon was ably delivered by Warren Phillips. The anthems by the Children's chorus were appropriate for the occasion and well rendered. Warren Phillips used as the basis for his words the story of the people of South India who recently destroyed their monkey and elephant gods because the gods did not intercede and stop terrific rain and hail which damaged crops and homes. He showed how the modern faith of a modern church is based on something more substantial than this. The flowers were given by the Putnam Alliance in memory of the late Rev. Alfred P. Free.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Maurice A. Mellen and Clara H. Mellen, husband and wife as joint tenants, of Winchendon, Worcester County, Massachusetts, to the Home Owners' Loan Corporation dated January 20, 1934 and recorded with Worcester District Deeds, Book 2602, Page 147, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at three o'clock P.M. on Monday, February 27, 1939, on the premises below described, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

A certain parcel of land with all buildings and structures now or hereafter standing or placed thereon situated in Winchendon in the County of Worcester in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts bounded and described as follows:-

The land situated in the westerly part of the village in said Winchendon, and bounded and described as follows:-

Commencing at an iron pin driven in the ground on the northerly line of Irwin Court; thence westerly on the northerly line of said Irwin Court 55 feet to an iron pin; thence N. 72° 10' W. 132 feet to an iron pin at land of one Whitney; thence N. 17° E. 68 feet to an iron pin at other land of Fannie B. Irwin; thence S. 73° 20' E. 125 feet to an iron pin at land of said Irwin's other land; thence S. 37° 50' E. 57.5 feet to the place of beginning.

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Including as part of the realty all portable or sectional buildings at any time placed upon said premises and all furnaces, ranges, heaters, plumbing, gas and electric fixtures, screens, mantels, shades, screen doors, storm doors and windows, oil burners, gas or electric refrigerators and all other fixtures of whatever kind and nature at present or hereafter installed in or on the granted premises in any manner which renders such articles usable in connection therewith so far as the same are or can by agreement of parties, be made a part of the realty."

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, tax titles, water liens, and other municipal liens or assessments, if any there be.

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Cocktail Pitted Cherries	25c	Plum Pudding	39c
		Green Cherries	15c
Imported Capers	25c	Beef Steak Sauce	25c
Russian Caviar	75c	Mint Wine Jelly	18c

Winchendon

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Peabody of Lunenburg were Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Peabody of School street.

Benjamin E. Brown, School street, who underwent an operation at the Deaconness hospital in Boston three weeks ago, returned to his home Sunday where he is recuperating satisfactorily.

Miss Alice Davis, Katherine Callahan, Helen Mahoney, Helen Parker and Mrs. Lillian Parker are in Fitchburg today attending the meeting of the Massachusetts Elementary Principals' association, held at the Fitchburg State Teachers' college. They plan to stay for the banquet to be given in Palmer hall. Miss Alice Davis is a member of the nominating committee.

There was a chimney fire in the Witt block on Spruce street Sunday evening, to which the fire department responded at 10.10. No damage.

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Today in Orange, Aunt Kate Putnam is receiving friends on the occasion of her 100th birthday, the first resident of that town ever to attain such a venerable age.

The regular meeting of the Bessie Hatch Burns class of the North church will be held in the Ladies' Parlor of the church next Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Cardin, Jr., of Linden street were in Pittsfield Sunday visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Philip L. Williams, who were married Jan. 30 in Winchendon.

The head on the sprinkler system at the Murray storehouse, corner of Mill and Mechanic streets, started in action at 12.10 Sunday noon, and the fire department was called to investigate. There was no fire in evidence, and it was thought the extremely cold weather had frozen the pipe, which broke, setting off the sprinkler.

Robert E. Aldrich of West street, who has been in Joliet, Ill., for some months employed in the U. S. Engineering Dept. as dredge inspector on the Illinois waterway, was a week-end visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perley Aldrich. He is working now for the Metropolitan District Commission, sanitation department, in Everett.

Rev. Ralph Williams of Troy, N. H., was guest speaker at the Christian Endeavor meeting in the First Baptist church Sunday evening. Rev. Williams spoke on "God's part and the human part in salvation, it being a 50-50 proposition in life." There was a fine attendance at the meeting. Mrs. Oliver Coleman was leader of the service, and a trumpet solo by Rev. Williams was greatly enjoyed. The Christian Endeavor society orchestra played.

The regular meeting of Home Rebekah lodge was held last Friday evening in Odd Fellows' hall with Noble Grand Mrs. Frances F. Chase presiding. A public military whist party will be held tomorrow, Friday evening, for the benefit of the Rebekah Relief Fund. Vice Grand Mrs. Donald McMillan is general chairman. On Feb. 17, "Wildey Night" will be observed by the lodge jointly with the Monomnack Lodge, I. O. O. F. Supper will be served and the entertainment will be furnished by the Boys' Glee club of Cushing Academy. The committee will be announced next week.

The Glenallan table tennis team easily defeated the Heywood-Wakefield team of Gardner at the Glen Social club last week Wednesday evening. Singles, doubles and mixed doubles were played. The Glenallan winners were as follows: men's division: singles; Agon Occhialini defeated Chester Lesneski, Roy Thayer defeated Ray Sharon, Custer Diamond defeated Sylvio Dery. Raymond Bourgault defeated A. Stavely. Dan Morlock defeated D. Cancellieri, Jim Hunt was defeated by Sabulis of Heywood-Wakefield. In the ladies' singles: Helen Reardon, who recently captured top honors as champion of Northern Worcester County at the Elk's tournament in Gardner, defeated A. Goguen, Flora Brousseau defeated D. Dinan, Isabel Doyle defeated C. Hurley. Glenallan winners in doubles, for ladies: Mary Doyle and Isabel Doyle defeated A. Goguen and D. Dinan; in the men's division, Custer Diamond and Jack Bourgault defeated S. Dery and Sabulis. Glenallan winners in the mixed doubles were: Helen Reardon and Roy Thayer who defeated A. Goguen and C. Lesneski; Heywood-Wakefield winners were: C. Hurley A. Stavely who defeated Jim Hunt and Flora Brousseau; D. Dinan and R. Sharon defeated Irene Dee and Dan Morlock.

COMING EVENTS

Feb. 9. Start of annual fund drive for Monadnock Council, Inc., B. S. of America.

Feb. 14, 7.30 p. m. Winchendon Parent-Teacher Association meeting in Library hall. Speaker, Supt. Charles Mitchell.

Feb. 15, 6.30 p. m. The annual turkey supper served by the men of the North church. Tickets 60c each.

Feb. 16. Winter meeting of the Mass. Elementary Principals, District No. 6, at Fitchburg State Teachers' college.

Feb. 17, Friday. Wildey Night, observed by Manomonack Lodge of Odd Fellows and Home Rebekah Lodge at I. O. O. F. hall.

Feb. 23, Thursday. Fashion Show by Toy Town Tailleurs for Putnam Alliance, Memorial hall, 3 p. m.

March 17. Two-act comedy, "Dress Rehearsal," Town Hall—Toy Town Players.

March 22. Special meeting of Worcester North District Medical society at Hotel Raymond, Fitchburg.

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Mrs. Charles A. Battles entertained the Bible class of the M. E. church Wednesday at her home, 41 Cottage street. Refreshments were served and a pleasant afternoon enjoyed by all.

Mrs. H. W. Eldredge and daughter, Mabelle, of Antrim, N. H., were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. H. Burr Eldredge, 177 High street.

At the First Baptist church Sunday school last Sunday those who received gifts for perfect attendance during the year 1938 were Robert LaDeau, Winona LaDeau, Pollyanna Beal, Lillian Hall, Robert Frazier, Marilyn Brown. Those having excellent attendance were: John Frazier and Evelyn Hall. Honorable mention was given Rev. William H. Nobbs, Mrs. Edith Smith, Howard LaDeau, Richard LaDeau, Bernard LaDeau, and Priscilla Beal.

Miss Norma Barton was tendered a miscellaneous shower Wednesday night in Gardner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Fontaine in honor of her approaching marriage to Paul M. Fontaine, Feb. 11. Miss Barton was led into a room prettily decorated in yellow and white. Many gifts of chairs, lamps, quilts, electrical appliances, pyrex, kitchen ware, glassware and linens were received by Miss Barton. There were about 35 present from Gardner and Winchendon. After a period in which games were enjoyed, refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, olives, cake and coffee were served by Mrs. Fontaine.

Winchendon

Mrs. Timothy Murphy of Monadnock avenue is housed this week by illness.

Eugene Betourney, 59, of 62 Brown street, was injured Monday while at work for the New England Woodenware Corp. A flying board broke his right forearm.

Mrs. Pauline M. Dickey was the hostess to the H. R. C. Monday evening, the members enjoying another pleasant meeting. The group will meet Feb. 13th with Mrs. Irene Drouin.

Boy Scouts of Troop 36 meet on Monday evening for work on first class and second class requirements. Scoutmaster Bosworth and Mr. Beedle were in charge. All future meetings of this troop will be held in the Woodcock school.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Artisan Building, Inc., will be held at the Masonic lodge rooms next Tuesday evening, Feb. 14, at 8 o'clock. Officers will report for the past year and necessary officers will be chosen for the ensuing year.

At the first ski meet held between the Phillips-Andover and Phillips-Exeter Academies Saturday, Feb. 4, Frederick F. Davis, Jr., won second place in the ski jumping contest, making two jumps of 40 and 44 feet. Ames of Exeter, the winner, made jumps of 45 and 50 feet. The Andover ski team has accepted the invitation to participate in the annual ski meet to be held at Cushing Academy Saturday, Feb. 11.

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Howard Stedman, Spruce street, has been housed several days with the grip.

Emmanuel church will hold a parish supper in the parish rooms on St. Valentine's Day, Feb. 14, at 6.30 o'clock.

Wildey Night is to be observed by Monomonack Lodge, I. O. O. F. 121, and Home Rebekah Lodge, No. 95, in Odd Fellows' hall next Friday night, the 17th. A supper will be served at 6.30, business meeting at 7.30 and the concert at 8 o'clock. This night is observed annually by all Odd Fellows and Rebekahs and is the outstanding event on the calendar each year. The occasion is to honor the founder of Odd Fellowship Thomas Wildey.

Winchendon

The Women's Bible class of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet with Mrs. Roy Thayer this evening.

The Worcester League of Unitarian women is holding its winter meeting today in Gardner at the Unitarian church. Mrs. Howard H. Elliott, a director of the league, is on the program committee for this meeting.

Among the Townsendites who attended the state meeting in Boston last week were five from Winchendon: President and Mrs. Nelson Abar, Jr., Mrs. Cassie Nolan, Miss Edith Lamb, John Davis, William H. McMasters was the principal speaker.

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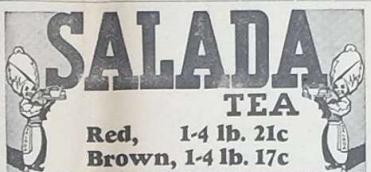

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Waterville News Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Eli DeCoteau and son Raymond of Brown street, and Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Derosier of Gardner were in Jaffrey, N. H., Sunday, to attend the funeral of Leon Gordon of East Rindge. Mr. Gordon will be remembered as living here on Brown street about 15 years ago.

Mrs. Earl Loomis of 8 Main street was in East Swanzey, N. H., Friday, attending the funeral of her father, Charles L. Smith, 77, in the Community church. Mr. Smith had been making his home here with his daughter for the past four years until he was taken ill and removed to Millers River hospital for treatment, but died two weeks later.

A Beano party is being held this evening in Whitney hall at 7.30. An added attraction will be a lovely rug, braided by one of the industrious ladies of our community, which will be awarded during the evening. Mrs. Eva Seymour and Mrs. Agnes Peckham have charge of the party.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barber, Main street, entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Bergin, Jr., and Mrs. John Bergin, Sr., from Providence, R. I., over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Barber, and their guests, attended the firemen's ball last Friday evening.

The "Friendly Aid Society" will meet next Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 4 in Whitney hall for social card playing. Mrs. Elsie Foisy will be in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Brown (Freda Sibley) and son Vernon, of Laconia, N. H., were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Lula Sibley, who is rapidly recovering from her recent illness.

"Billy" Caouette, the 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Caouette, Hale street, was taken to the Millers River hospital last week Friday, where he underwent an emergency operation for appendix.

Funeral services will be held at Faery's Funeral Home at East Jaffrey, N. H., Sunday, Feb. 5, at 2.30 p. m. Interment in tomb at Hillside cemetery.

The annual business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church was held Sunday evening, when reports for the year were given and officers for 1939 elected as follows: President, Francis Towne Hale; vice president, Miss Della F. Whipple; secretary, Miss Helen Pentitila; treasurer, Arthur H. French. Prayer meeting committee, Francis Hale and Miss Edith M. French; social committee, Miss Della F. Whipple, Mrs. Chester Whipple and Miss Carol Hoyt; missionary committee, Mrs. Robert Fletcher; lookout committee, Mrs. George H. French and Arthur H. Wetherbee.

Kenneth Rice and Donald Norcross, seniors at Murdock school in Winchendon, have parts in the senior play, "The Sixth Key," which is to be presented at the town hall, Winchendon, on Friday evening, Feb. 17th.

Hamilton H. Rice, a student at the Chauncey Hall school in Boston, was at home for the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Rice.

Victor H. Rice was happily surprised on Feb. 3d, by dinner guests in honor of his 74th birthday. His daughter, Mrs. Eva D. Sparks, served a roast lamb dinner, and handsomely decorated birthday cake. With Mr. Rice and Mrs. Sparks, were included Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Rice and sons Hamilton and Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Simomna, Mrs. Delia Bacon and Oscar Thrasher. Mr. Rice had a shower of cards, gifts and birthday greetings from his many friends.

Sunday Mrs. Eva D. Sparks, Victor H. Rice and Oscar Thrasher visited Mrs. Sparks' older son Richard and family of Malden, Mass.

Winchendon

Arthur H. Stone, Front street, who had the misfortune to crush his foot seriously three weeks ago, is improving.

The Merry Nine Bridge club will meet with Miss Louise Buckley, North Central street, next Monday evening.

The directors of the Athol Chamber of Commerce and other Athol citizens met Thursday to hear a report from Warren C. Karner and Charles H. Stevens, chairman of the Athol and Orange Boards of Selectmen on their trip to Washington regarding the Athol flood control situation. Both reported there was no question that work on the Birch Hill reservoir would be resumed as soon as certain legal details were ironed out. They had assurance from Secretary of War Woodring there would be little delay, and that Massachusetts and Connecticut would surely be considered.

RINDGE

N. Leon Gordon, born in Springfield, Vt., April 25, 1853, former resident of Keene and Winchendon, and for the past 10 years of Rindge, passed away at his home Friday, Feb. 3, after a brief illness. He had followed the trade of blacksmith until his retirement. He is survived by his wife, Ida (Gee) Gordon, five daughters, Maude Makay of Leominster, Irene Flagg of Beverly, Olive Hamlin of Rindge, Beulah Parker of Washington, D. C., and Beatrice Moran of Brockton, and eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. On Nov. 21, 1938 they celebrated their 57th wedding anniversary, children and grandchildren being present.

Harold Smith, Soldier From Fort Devens Shoots Self; Is In Dangerous Condition

Harold Smith, 19, of Waterville, a soldier stationed at Camp Devens, who shot himself Saturday night, was reported as living this morning, but is in a serious condition. Police Officers David E. Martin and Robert E. Hildreth were notified of the accident and removed the injured man to Millers River hospital, where first aid was given and the man was taken the next day to the hospital at Camp Devens. According to the story told Police Chief Joseph L. Regan, Smith was desponden t and decided "to end it all." The bullet entered just below his heart and coursed downward, coming out over the right thigh.

NOTICE

Registration of Voters

The Board of Registrars give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of receiving evidence of the qualifications of persons claiming the right to vote at the Election to be held in this town, March 6, 1939, correcting the list of voters of this town, and certifying signatures on nomination papers, as follows:

TOWN OFFICES ROOM 11
Wednesday, Feb. 15, from 7 to 9 pm.
Saturday, Feb. 18, from 7 to 9 pm.
Tuesday, Feb. 21, from 12 m. to 10 p. m.
1939

when registration will cease, and no names will be entered upon the voting list after that time, except as provided by law.

Also at Town Offices on **Thursday, Feb. 16, from 3 to 5 p.m.** (last time) to certify to signatures on Town Nomination Papers only.

Voting lists are posted at the Town Hall, and every person who desires to vote whose name is not on the list as posted must apply in person before the registrars of voters on the dates above mentioned; and every male applicant, not listed by the Registrars, may present a certificate from the Assessors or a tax bill or a notice from the Collector of Taxes showing that he has been assessed for a Poll Tax, and every female applicant must show she has been listed, as a resident of this town on the preceding First Day of January, or has resided in this town for the Six Months last preceding

March 6, 1939

If a qualified voter of this town whose name was on the voting list last year, and who has been assessed or listed for the current year, finds AFTER the close of registration that his or her name is not placed on the voting list of the current year, by reason of having been omitted by clerical error or mistake, he or she may upon personal application, have the name placed upon the voting list, or if application be made upon the day of election, may have a certificate to vote.

If the name of a female who is duly registered as a voter is changed by marriage or by decree of court SINCE JANUARY 1st, 1939, she may vote at such election . . . in her former name, otherwise she may not vote without first re-registering in her new name, and . . . the marriage certificate or decree of court, or a certified copy thereof shall be exhibited to the registrars.

Naturalized Citizens must present their final papers when they register. Every applicant claiming the right to register on the ground that the father was a naturalized citizen before the applicant was twenty-one years of age, must present the father's papers or a Certificate of Derivative Citizenship when he or she registers; a married woman, if the wife of a naturalized citizen before Sept. 22, 1922, must present the husband's papers when she registers.

JAMES M. McDONALD
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JOSEPH A. DESCHENES
ARTHUR F. EVANS, Clerk.
Registrars of Voters
Winchendon, Mass.,
February 1, 1939.
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ROD & GUN CLUB NOTES

By Guy Prebble, Jr.

You should join the National Riflemen's Association if you want the latest dope on rifle shooting. This is the organization that sponsors the registered shoots throughout the country. They furnish a lot of first class dope through this magazine, too.

Members have privilege to obtain both guns and ammunition from the government at special low prices. Their newest advantage to members is low cost insurance on sporting equipment and accessories. It's worth investigating if you have some guns you value.

Rifle shooting has been neglected in Massachusetts. In other states where deer hunting with rifles is permitted, more enthusiasm is aroused. After a little practice with a decent rifle, you'll become more and more interested.

With the rabbit season over, now is the time to get out and do some practicing. The club has a trap and supply of clay pigeons available. A few rounds before next October will sharpen up your eye.

There's a movement on to recode the game laws. What we need is a little more uniformity and less variation in the rules and regulations. As it has been in the past certain groups strong enough to push the legislation have been able to secure privilege not in line with the general aim of conservation.

The meeting was held in new quarters Monday night. The V. F. W. volunteered the use of their room in the National block. The club's thanks to them. Officers elected at this meeting were: President, Reginald James; vice president, Harry Rogstad; secretary, Guy Prebble, Jr.; assistant secretary, Walter Makl; treasurer, Karl Parks.

Chairman of fish committee, Harry Rogstad; chairman of game, Kenneth Sawtelle; chairman of entertainment, Arthur James; chairman of Field Trial, William Hoague.

One of the highlights of the meeting was the communication from the League concerning Sunday hunting in Massachusetts. A petition of this sort will require plenty of backing to pass the legislature. Only the period from 1 p. m. to sunset is requested, making the same rules apply as do on Armistice Day.

Five of the members brought home over 200 perch and pickerel a week ago Sunday. State of New Hampshire is attempting to clean out a section near Peterborough so that stocking of trout can be done under more favorable conditions. No limits are set until this stream is cleaned out of perch and pickerel considered by the state as a menace to the trout population. Another trip is on that and the boys will have done their part.

The club intends to secure the rights to hold trapshooting on some piece of usable property as near town as possible. A supervised shoot can be held at not too frequent intervals. A shoot each month year round ought to keep up the interest in this form of sport.

It is hoped that Warden Proctor from Wilton, N. H., will be able to attend the March meeting and give another one of those famous talks. He can't always get away but never fails to provide an enjoyable evening if his duties and the weather permit.

More on Sunday hunting as soon as more complete information is received.

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West Rindge

Mrs. Elwyn C. Jewell will be hostess to the Tuesday evening club this week.

The annual Fireman's ball will be held at M. L. Ware Grange hall, West Rindge, Friday evening, Feb. 10; ZaZa Ludwig with orchestra will furnish music for dancing. Refreshments will be served at intermission. The committee includes Raymond Stannard, William Wilder and Edward Knotts.

Mrs. Walter A. Cleveland will be hostess to the Ladies' Aid society at her home Thursday afternoon, Feb. 16.

The Henry Rivard family are quarantined with scarlet fever.

There is much illness of grippe in the village.

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METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Oak Street and Lincoln Ave.
Rev. Dr. Joseph M. Shepler, Pastor
66 Lincoln Avenue

10.45 a. m. Morning worship with sermon by the pastor, "Abraham Lincoln."

12.00 Sunday school, with classes for all ages, and all are invited to join in this hour of study of the teachings of the Bible.

5.00 p. m. Intermediate Epworth League. Leader, Gene Walker. Subject, "Lincoln."

If you are not attending church and Sunday school elsewhere, we invite you to join with us. Christ, who is our Example, taught us that these should be the first concern of every one. As a boy of 12, "He went into the Temple, both hearing and asking questions" of the great teachers of the Scripture. His whole life was given to studying to find out God's will, and doing it. Every Sabbath, He attended Divine worship. In the midst of his ministry, it was said of Him, "And as His custom was, he went into the Synagogue on the Sabbath Day." Church attendance does a variety of good: It helps us; it helps young people and others who are influenced by our example; it encourages and aids those who are working and sacrificing to maintain the church and its helpful activities in the community, which we and our families are constantly sharing.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

71 Pleasant St. Winchendon

Sunday morning service at 10.45 o'clock.

Sunday school at 12 noon.

Testimony meeting Wednesday evening at 7.45.

Free public reading room, where the Bible and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read, borrowed or purchased. Open Wednesday afternoons from 3 to 5, except on holidays. The public is cordially invited to attend our services and freely use the reading room.

"Soul" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world, on Sunday, Feb. 12.

CHURCH OF THE UNITY
(Unitarian)

Rev. Wm. E. Billingham, Pastor
84 Lincoln Avenue
Tel. 554

10.00 a. m. Church school.

11.00 a. m. Morning worship and sermon, "Abraham Lincoln Today." Music by the choir.

7.00 p. m. Y. P. R. U. meets at the parsonage.

EMMANUEL CHURCH
(Protestant Episcopal)

Rev. Percival Wood, Rector
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Services at 9.15 a. m. First and third Sundays, Holy Communion. Remaining Sundays, Morning Prayer.

Week day session of the church school Thursdays 3.15 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor: Rev. William H. Nobbs
Parsonage: 85 Linden Street

Sunday services. Morning worship at 10.45. Vested choir, D. L. Higgins, leader. Sermon by the pastor, "Right and Wrong Leadership."

12.00 Bible school, Rayford Parker, Supt.

The men's class meets at 10.45 a. m., for a study of present day problems in the light of Scriptural truth. The class has started off with a large attendance and men of all ages are invited.

6 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting.

Wednesday, 7.30 p. m. Church Family Worship.

The "Old Home Church" is always glad to greet newcomers to town and visitors.

THE NORTH CHURCH
(Congregational)

Joseph W. Reeves, Minister

10.00 Church School, Lester Aldrich, Supt.

10.55 a. m. Organ Prelude by Mrs. Donald McMillan.

11.00 a. m. Worship. Sermon, subject, "The Great Delusion." There will be a children's sermon. Music by the chorus choir, Miss Millie Pearson of Fitchburg, director and soprano soloist.

12-12.30. Young men's class in the study.

6.15 p. m. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. One in a series on "The Christian Way." Subject for this next Sunday evening, "The Christian Belief About Prayer."

Copies of "The Lenten Fellowship of Prayer for 1939" will be ready for distribution this next Sunday. They will be on the table in the vestibule.

The District Visitors meet Thursday, Feb. 16 at 2.30 o'clock, with their director, Mrs. Richard Snow.

The men of the North church will serve their annual turkey supper on Wednesday, Feb. 15th, 6.30 o'clock. Tickets are 60c each and the money made will be given to the Hurricane Repair Fund. Tickets may be purchased at the Abbott Jewelry store.

The young people will conduct the morning service of worship on Sunday, Feb. 19th. The subjects of the sermonettes: "Victories."

Lent begins Wednesday, Feb. 22. Many additional services have been planned for the North church.

Those not having a church home elsewhere are cordially invited to join in the worship and work of the North church.

The benefit movie "Dr. Kildare," starring Lionel Barrymore and Lew Ayers, is being presented today by the Daughters of Isabella. Tickets have been selling well and large audiences are expected at both performances. The ticket committee is chairman, Mrs. A. D. Hildreth, Miss Cecilia Joseph and Miss Mary Raleigh.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Newton of 464 Central street are entertaining Mrs. Newton's niece, Arline Springer of Athol for a week.

Mrs. Mary E. Whittemore, Front street, was an overnight guest of her cousin, Joseph Lovering and Mrs. Lovering in North Leominster, last week.

Mrs. Henry Sullivan of 190 Spring street, slipped on a rug in her home and fell on the hardwood floor last week Tuesday, breaking her right arm just above the wrist.

The Ancient Order of United Workmen (the A. O. U. W.) which has maintained its organization in Winchendon for over 50 years, has surrendered its charter and joined with the Gardner Lodge, No. 28.

A spaghetti supper and dance will be held next Thursday evening, Feb. 16, at 7.30 in Co-Operative hall, Glenallan, by the Co-Operative club. The public is invited. The committe in charge of the affair is Memo Salvatori, Armand Berard and Nello Dellasanta.

Bowling leagues started at National Alleys Monday, Feb 6th. The teams and their captains are as follows: Sib's Sandwich Shop, Lincoln Sibley; Brousseau's Bakery, Al. Trottier; Williams' Five, Joe Williams; Toy Town Orange, Don. Girouard; Waterville Tigers, Max Moreau; Depot Boys, James Farrell; Spring Village Co-Op., Nello Dellasanta; Mason & Parker, Dunchus.

Miss Phyllis McCarthy, daughter of Mrs. Nettie McCarthy, of Locust street, was graduated from the Bryant and Stratton college, Boston, last week Monday, Jan. 30. She took the secretarial course there.

Edwin Woodman, Front street, who has been the local manager of the Grant store since last October, has gone to Norfolk Downes, where he will be manager of a larger Grant store there. His family will move from town to the new location in the near future. The Grant store, which was badly damaged by fire January 5, has not reopened.

The Toy Town Players' club met at the home of Miss Gabriel Belanger, Mechanic street, Tuesday evening. The club voted to give a portion of the money raised at the next play, "Dress Rehearsal," which is to be presented in the town hall on March 17th, to a fund to be known as "The School Moving Picture Fund." Members of the club have discussed with Supt. Mitchell desirable equipment for the schools. As visual education is used a great deal today, the Players felt they would like to have as their goal the purchasing of a portable machine which would give all of the children in town an opportunity for this kind of an education. Such a machine will cost several hundred dollars. After the business session refreshments were served by the hostess, then came the surprise which was a cake in honor of Miss Lena Smith's birthday. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Anita Breho, Feb. 28.

Ping Pong Champs to Play At E. Murdock Benefit

The E. Murdock School Playground committee has been busy the past month with plans to raise money for playground equipment. They announce a table tennis (ping-pong) exhibition at town hall. It is expected that among the exhibitioners will be both the Worcester City club champion and the New England Junior title holder. It is hoped that from this same club at least two women players will be available. This exhibition will be followed by dancing—the date to be announced in the next issue of the Courier.

Tickets will be available within a few days from the following standing committee: Mrs. Ray P. Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Snow, Mrs. Charles Weeks, Celian Abbott, Mrs. Alfred Roebuck, Mrs. Edward Brooks, Miss Helen Parker, Miss Madella Shorey, Mrs. Mark Bailey, Mrs. Josephine Kendall, Mrs. Robert Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dionne.

Many Problems Discussed at District Nurse Com. Meeting

An important meeting of the district nurse committee was held in Library hall Tuesday afternoon, the members present being Mrs. Henri Pressel, chairman, Miss Bryant, Mrs. Clarence Morlock, Mrs. William Slavin, Mrs. J. H. Johannesson, Mrs. J. P. Bartlett, Mrs. J. L. Peabody, Mrs. Carlton Hall. There were present as guests the district nurse, Miss Ellagene Bartlett, Miss Kathryn Hansen, school nurse, Miss Helen Hackett of Boston, Dr. Henry, superintendent of schools Charles A. Mitchell, John Trombley, Chief of Police Regan.

Many interesting problems were fully discussed. Miss Hackett, who is from the state department of health, Boston, gave much valuable information and helpful suggestions.

The district nurse committee are to hold meetings on the first Tuesday of each month, and hope to accomplish much good.

14th Lecture-Concert at Library Next Sunday Evening

Irving Fine, assistant at Radcliffe college, will conduct the 14th in the series of lecture-concerts in the Beals Memorial Library series in the History and Appreciation of Music, this Sunday evening at 7.30 in Library hall. All those who were present when Mr. Fine was last here were most enthusiastic regarding his presentation and especially his splendid playing at the piano and a record attendance is expected for this his second and final appearance.

The final lecture-concert will meet Sunday evening, February 26, jumping the 19th, when no lecture will be held. A special concert for that evening, of unusual worth, is being planned.

Winchendon

The local W. C. T. U., Mrs. Rodney C. Cochran, president, will observe the Frances Willard Centenary on Thursday, Feb. 17. The meeting will be held with Mrs. Alfred Parker, Front street, and all active and sustaining members are urged to be present. Refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cashin of Bellows Falls, Vt., announce the marriage of their son, Walter E. to Miss Florence E. Murray of Bellows Falls, Vt., on Jan. 26, 1939. Mr. Cashin attended the schools in Winchendon, and graduated from the Somerville high school, class of 1935. He is grandson of the late Edgar Cashin and Kate Cashin, and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McQueston, Old Centre. Mr. and Mrs. Cashin will make their home in Somerville where he is employed as a druggist.

Old Center

The Ladies' Circle meets this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alvah M. Smith.

Miss Esther Leach of Pittsfield spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Leach.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Milford Brown and Miss Verna Brown of Concord were Sunday visitors of Murray Brown.

Mrs. Frank S. McQueston has been housed the past ten days with a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cashin of Bellows Falls, Vt., were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs. Harry McQueston.

A. Russell Tout and Harold Perry were in Boston on Wednesday.

Mrs. Edward Stedman attended a meeting of the Worcester League of Unitarian Women on Thursday.

Esther and Roger Lawrence have been housed a day or two with the grip.

Walter Tibbetts of Uxbridge and Jonathan Schiller, R. C. A. Bureau, Camden, N. J., were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Walter I. Tibbetts.

Winchendon

St. Jean d'Baptiste Society of St. Mary's church is holding a public card party next Monday evening in the vestry of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stone, Front street, had as guests last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Popple and family of Enfield and Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Stone of Keene. Mrs. Popple is the sister of Arthur Stone.

Rawford Tappin returned Sunday to Massachusetts State College, Amherst, after spending the after mid-year's recess at home. His classmate, John Blasco, '40, was a guest over the week-end.

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Miss Collier, art supervisor, has been housed by illness this week.

Mrs. Henri M. Prescott, who has been ill, was able to be out the first of the week.

Mrs. A. C. Woodbury of Maple street is recovering from her recent illness.

Harold L. Daniels, 23 Linden street, a representative of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, has accepted a transfer to Athol where he will begin his duties next week. Mr. and Mrs. Daniels expect to move to Athol the latter part of this week.

Miss Marium E. Foster was a guest of the Advertising club of Boston, at the European Travel Luncheon, held at Hotel Statler on Tuesday. Malcolm LaPrade, vice president of Thomas Cook & Son, and well known radio travel commentator, was the guest speaker.

The S. of U. V. and Auxiliary met in Odd Fellows' hall on Tuesday evening. Mrs. George H. E. Farrington presided during the Auxiliary business session. The members voted to hold a public card party on Tuesday evening, Feb. 21 at the home of Miss Ada Bancroft. Mrs. Howard H. Elliott invited the members to her home on the afternoon of the 14th for the monthly social. Commander George Chase presided during the business session of the Sons. The Memorial Day committee was appointed as follows: Commander George H. Chase, Howard Chase, Sr., Howard H. Elliott, George H. E. Farrington and Gilbert Stearns.

A lady in town received on Monday a letter from a friend in Japan, dated Jan. 12 at Tokyo. In it he says: "The war in China makes it difficult here in spite of the distance from the actual front. We are short of so many things, that even for household things and food and clothing we have to resort to substitutes. Until last summer we could still obtain imported products, but as the importation of such goods and commodities are prohibited, we are afraid we have a hard year ahead. We, too, had our share of storms and floods last year, and owing to the shortage of building material repairs took a long time for completion." The gentleman is connected with the Yamalak Co. of Yokohama, and some years ago was for quite awhile in the New York office. An interesting fact is this, that the company uses in their mills some of the Baxter D. Whitney machinery, made in Winchendon.

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WOMAN'S CLUB

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An important meeting of the District Nurse committee was announced for Feb. 7 at 2.30 in Library hall. All those in town having cars who are willing to use them for the transportation of children to clinics in various places, are asked to notify the district nurse, Miss Ellagene Bartlett.

Meeting of the department for preservation of Antiquities with Mrs. J. G. Henry, Feb. 8.

Mrs. Fitzgerald, treasurer, read a notice of coming movies, naming the most important.

The department of Art of the State Federation of Women's clubs are offering prizes for drawings and paintings, the prizes ranging from $10 down. It is hoped Winchendon young people will care to enter the contest and this matter is in charge of Miss Jeannette B. Rice of Murdock faculty, and the art teacher, Miss Collier, who will be glad to give all necessary information.

A fine report of the Radio conference was given by Mrs. James Hildreth who attended the recent meeting in Boston, accompanied by Mrs. William Hildreth. (Later, the speaker, Mr. Quimby, complimented Mrs. Hildreth on her excellent report.)

The president announced the receipt of $199.57 from the cook book fund which had been in charge of the late Mrs. F. B. Spalter. Mrs. Peabody also called for a rising vote of thanks to the directors and executive board, all the ladies having worked very hard in preparing the Guest Night program in the hope that it might be the success desired. The members most cheerfully acceded to the request.

Notice was given of the Legislative meeting Feb. 15, at the Worcester Woman's club, and of the mid-winter Legislative conference of the State Federation to be held at Hotel Bradford, Boston, Feb. 24.

Attention was called to the next meeting, Feb. 17, which is devoted to the children, but their elders will find the entertainment to be given by the Curtis Beach Marionettes, most interesting. The meeting will be held in Library hall at 3 o'clock, and members are not only asked to come themselves, but if they have no children, to be sure and borrow one.

An article was read from the president of the State Federation urging the planting of trees to replace so far as possible, those destroyed by the September hurricane.

A pair of rubbers left at the hall on Guest Night, await the owner at the public library; consult Mr. Arnold. A pair of rubbers were mismated and Mrs. Edward Stedman of Winchendon Center will be very glad to change a rubber with some lady.

Mrs. Arthur E. Marsh, soprano soloist, was on the program for two groups of songs which she sang very nicely, receiving many compliments. Mrs. Donald McMillan, club accompanist, was at the piano. The first group was given before the speaking and included two sings, "I'll Sing the Songs of Araby," by Frederick Clay, and "Dedication," by H. Gifford Bull. Following the speaking, Mrs. Marsh sang two more songs, "At the Well," by Richard Hageman, and in recognition of its being Peace Day, her second number was "Let Us Have Peace," by Ernest R. Ball.

The guest speaker was Clarence P. Quimby, principal of Cushing Academy, Ashburnham, whose subject was Current Events, a large subject indeed in these troublous times when the whole world is more or less in actual conflict or concerned with the big problems of today, and the direful happenings here and there.

Mr. Quimby is no stranger to Winchendon, and he was warmly greeted. He had with him two young lady students from Cushing, the home of one of them being thousands of miles away. He took occasion to pay a fine and well deserved compliment to the daughter of the School Superintendent Charles A. Mitchell, Miss Shirley Mitchell, and said he would exchange a few of the half-backs of the Academy for Miss Mitchell, whom he called a wonderfully fine debater.

After telling a few humorous stories Mr. Quimby took up his subject which was eminently suited to "Peace Day." All the big events of the times were noted, each having its own significance — the great airplane crash in California, Roosevelt's policy, the Spanish situation, the Chilean earthquake, war clouds gathering, etc. He thought the world on the whole not so much worse today, but the news is flashed over the countries on the minute of happening, so that things seem worse; on the whole, perhaps, the world might be called better.

Mr. Quimby received many compliments for his fine handling of an immense subject.

Following the program there was a most successful sale of home-cooked food under the management of the District Nurse committee, the proceeds being some over $53, the largest sum ever received from a like sale. The committee feel most grateful to all who in any way contributed to the success.

P.T.A. Studies School Budget At Meeting Next Tues. Eve.

The February meeting of the local Parent-Teacher association will be held in Library hall Tuesday evening, Feb. 14, at 7.30 p. m. Rev. Joseph W. Reeves, president, will preside.

A varied and interesting program has been arranged for this meeting, and it is hoped members will plan to be present and enjoy the program. Musical numbers arranged by Walter Angus will include choral singing by a group of students from the Marvin school. This group will be under the leadership of Miss Frances N. Barnes. Another number will include singing by Miss Nancy Burton and Miss Gloria MacDonald accompanied by Miss Polly Perry pianist. A trombone solo will be given by Richard Russell.

A special feature planned will be a short talk by Dr. Rinehart on penmanship. Dr. Rinehart has given valuable instruction in the local schools in this work.

A regular annual subject will be taken up at this time—the local school budget—this always interesting topic will be thoroughly explained by Supt. of Schools Charles A. Mitchell. This budget will be outlined and presented to the P. T. A. members in an effort to enlighten those present with all details of our local school expenditures.

Discussion Group—

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problems of our times by application of Christian principles. He urged all to faithfully support the church and its work, and to set a good example before children and youth, in order that they may be prepared to meet their problems and serve their generation. He stressed the great need of right leadership.

The Group voted to meet each Sunday morning at 9.45 in the church for the discussion period.

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The jingle of sleigh bells, once a common sound in winter, called us to the window, and there with his trotter was "Alex" Orr and Mrs. Orr taking a sleighride.